



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2613
Docket No.: 1095.1306

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Yukiko SAKAI et al:

Serial No. 10/803,875

Group Art Unit: 2613

Confirmation No. 7164

Filed: March 19, 2004

Examiner: Li, Shi K.

For: OPTICAL TRANSMISSION DEVICE

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: **BOX AF**

Sir:

This is in response to the FINAL Office Action mailed August 21, 2009, and having a period for response set to expire on November 21, 2009. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to January 21, 2010. This Amendment is being filed in conjunction with a Request For Continued Examination (RCE).

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.